



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

**NAVY PERSONNEL COMMAND
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MILLINGTON TN 38055-0000**

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October 2, 2017

Mary Schantag
102 Vixen Circle Unit C
Branson, MO 65616

Dear Ms. Schantag:

SUBJECT: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request in which you seek U.S. Navy Official Military Personnel File (OMPF) information pertaining to Brandon Bush. Your request was received in this office on September 29, 2017, has been assigned FOIA case file number CNPC20170625 by this command.

A releasable copy of available responsive information is enclosed. The redacted portions of the released documentation is exempt from disclosure under FOIA exemption 6 [5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6)]. Release of such information would be a clearly unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of Brandon Bush and other identified individuals. Any potentially available adverse documentation contained in an OMPF is categorically denied under FOIA exemption (b)(6) should such information be contained in an applicable record.

Because your request is partially denied by this command, you are advised of your right to appeal this determination in writing to the Office of the Judge Advocate General, OJAG Code 14, 1322 Patterson Avenue SE Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5066.

If an appeal is deemed necessary, it must be received in that office within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter, in order to be considered. To expedite an appeal, you should enclose a copy of this letter and a copy of the original request along with a statement regarding why your appeal should be granted. The letter of appeal and the envelope should bear the notation, "FOIA/PA APPEAL."

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I am the official responsible for the partial denial of your request. Should you wish to discuss the processing of your request by this command, you may contact the undersigned at (901) 874-3165. You may also contact the DON FOIA Public Liaison, Christopher Julka, at Christopher.a.julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'D. P. German', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

D. P. GERMAN
FOIA/PA Officer
By direction

CAUTION: NOT TO BE USED FOR
IDENTIFICATION PURPOSESTHIS IS AN IMPORTANT RECORD.
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CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE OR DISCHARGE FROM ACTIVE DUTY

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1. NAME (Last, First, Middle) LAVOPPI, BRANDON ELLSWORTH		2. DEPARTMENT, COMPONENT AND BRANCH NAVY-USN		3. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (b) (6)		
4a. GRADE, RATE OR RANK SO2	b. PAY GRADE E5	5. DATE OF BIRTH (YYYYMMDD) (b) (6)	6. RESERVE OBLIGATION TERMINATION DATE (YYYYMMDD) N/A			
7a. PLACE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE DUTY SEATTLE, WA		b. HOME OF RECORD AT TIME OF ENTRY (City and state, or complete address if known) (b) (6)				
8a. LAST DUTY ASSIGNMENT AND MAJOR COMMAND SEAL TEAM EIGHT		b. STATION WHERE SEPARATED PERSUPDET LITTLE CREEK VIRGINIA BEACH VA				
9. COMMAND TO WHICH TRANSFERRED COMMANDER, NAVY PERSONNEL COMMAND (PERS-912), MILLINGTON TN 38055			10. SGLI COVE (b) (6) AMOUNT:			
11. PRIMARY SPECIALTY (List number, title and years and months in specialty. List additional specialty numbers and titles involving periods of one or more years.) 0170 SURFACE RESCUE SWIMMER(6YRS 8MOS) SO-5326 SPECIAL WARFARE OPERATOR(3YRS 10MOS) X		12. RECORD OF SERVICE		YEAR(S)	MONTH(S)	DAY(S)
		a. DATE ENTERED AD THIS PERIOD		2003	06	12
		b. SEPARATION DATE THIS PERIOD		2011	12	01
		c. NET ACTIVE SERVICE THIS PERIOD		08	05	20
		d. TOTAL PRIOR ACTIVE SERVICE		00	00	00
		e. TOTAL PRIOR INACTIVE SERVICE		00	00	00
		f. FOREIGN SERVICE		00	00	00
		g. SEA SERVICE		03	03	19
		h. INITIAL ENTRY TRAINING		00	08	16
		i. EFFECTIVE DATE OF PAY GRADE		2008	11	16
13. DECORATIONS, MEDALS, BADGES, CITATIONS AND CAMPAIGN RIBBONS AWARDED OR AUTHORIZED (All periods of service) JOINT SERVICE ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL; NAVY/MARINE CORPS ACHIEVEMENT MEDAL(3); NAVY "E" RIBBON; NAVY GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL(2); IRAQI CAMPAIGN MEDAL (APR10); GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE MEDAL; NAVY SEA SERVICE DEPLOYMENT RIBBON(2); NAVY EXPERT RIFLE MEDAL; NAVY EXPERT PISTOL MEDAL; (CONT BLK 18)		14. MILITARY EDUCATION (Course title, number of weeks, and month and year completed) RECRUIT TRNG 8WKS AUG03; AVIATION ORDINANCE 5WKS OCT03; AVIATION ORDINANCE NAVY DIFF 3WKS OCT03; ARMED SENTRY 2WKS JUL04; SURFACE RESCUE SWIMMER 4WKS APR05; S.E.A.R. 2WKS AUG06; BUDS 25WKS FEB08; STATIC LINE 1WK FEB08; FREE FALL 4WKS MAR08; SEAL QUAL TRNG 19WKS AUG08; (CONT BLK18)				
15a. COMMISSIONED THROUGH SERVICE ACADEMY (b) (6)						
b. COMMISSIONED THROUGH ROTC SCHOLARSHIP (10 USC Sec. 2107b)						
c. ENLISTED UNDER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM (10 USC Chap. 109) (If yes, years of commitment:)						
16. DAYS ACCRUED LEAVE PAID (b) (6)	17. MEMBER WAS PROVIDED COMPLETE DENTAL EXAMINATION AND ALL APPROPRIATE DENTAL SERVICES AND TREATMENT WITHIN 90 DAYS PRIOR TO SEPARATION		YES	NO		
				(b) (6)		
18. REMARKS SER: 42575-11-1006-JEP EXAMINATION COMPLETED, SELECTED FOR ADVANCEMENT BUT NOT ADVANCED BY THE TIME OF SEPARATION. SO1, PASSED. FMS:156.38, MAR11. BLK13 CONT: MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION; NAVY UNIT COMMENDATION; ENLISTED SURFACE WARFARE SPECIALIST; ENLISTED AVIATION WARFARE SPECIALIST; SPECIAL WARFARE INSIGNIA, NAVAL PARACHUTIST INSIGNIA. BLK14 CONT: BASIC COLD WEATHER MARITIME 3WKS MAY08; ADV CLS QTRS DEF CQD 1WK JUN06; AIRDROP LOAD INSPEC CERT 1WK OCT08; (CONT DD214 C) The information contained here in is subject to computer matching within the Department of Defense or with any other affected Federal or non-Federal agency for verification purposes and to determine eligibility for, and/or continued compliance with, the requirements of a Federal benefit program.						
19a. MAILING ADDRESS AFTER SEPARATION (Include ZIP Code) (b) (6)		b. NEAREST RELATIVE (Name and address - include Zip Code) (b) (6)				
20. MEMBER REQUESTS COPY 6 BE SENT TO (Specify state/locality) (b) (6)		OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIRS		(b) (6)		
a. MEMBER REQUESTS COPY 3 BE SENT TO THE CENTRAL OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (WASHINGTON, DC)						
21a. MEMBER SIGNATURE (b) (6)	b. DATE (YYYYMMDD) (b) (6)	22. OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO SIGN (Typed name, grade, title, signature) (b) (6)		b. DATE (YYYYMMDD) (b) (6)		
SPECIAL ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (For use by authorized agencies only)						
23. TYPE OF SEPARATION DISCHARGED		24. CHARACTER OF SERVICE (Include upgrades) (b) (6)				
25. SEPARATION AUTHORITY (b) (6)		26. SEPARATION CODE (b) (6)		27. REENTRY CODE (b) (6)		
28. NARRATIVE REASON FOR SEPARATION (b) (6)						
29. DATES OF TIME LOST DURING THIS PERIOD (YYYYMMDD) (b) (6)				30. MEMBER REQUESTS COPY 4 (Initials) (b) (6)		

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3. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
(b) (6)

BLK18 CONT: PHOTO IMAGE CAPTURE 2WKS JAN09; NSW RANGE OPER SAFETY CRSE APR09; ARABIC 100 15WKS DEC10; NSW RANGE OPER SAFETY CRSE APR09; FRENCH 101 15WKS APR11; LEAD CLIMBER 3WKS DEC09; ADV HMMWV OPERATOR CRSE 2WKS NOV08; SEAL DIVING SUPV 2WK DEC08; NSW SPEC OPS MISSION PLANNING ENV 2WKS APR09.

A black and white image showing a repeating pattern of the letter 'X' arranged in diagonal lines, resembling a woven texture. The 'X's are formed by two intersecting diagonal strokes, creating a grid-like appearance. The pattern is consistent across the entire image, with no other elements present.

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History of Assignments



Date Gained	Type Gain	Activity	UIC	Date of Loss	Type Loss
06/12/2003	TEM DU	S CRU TRCOM GTLK	30646	08/19/2003	TRF
08/19/2003	TEM DU	STU NATTC PENS C	39831	10/22/2003	
10/25/2003	DUIN	S BUD/S TRA CORO	46462	02/27/2004	
02/27/2004	DUTY	CVN 68 NIMITZ	03368	06/14/2007	TRF
07/07/2007	DUIN	S BUD/S TRA CORO	46462	02/15/2008	TRF
02/15/2008	DUTY	NSW AD TNG WEST	39584	04/18/2008	
04/18/2008	DUTY	NSWC DET KODIAK	47668	05/16/2008	TRF
05/16/2008	TEM DU	NSW AD TNG WEST	39584	08/22/2008	TRF
09/08/2008	DUTY	SEAL TEAM EIGHT	46985		
		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> 08 05 16 08 04 18 </div>			

Name (Last, first, Middle) LAVOPPUI, BRANDON ELLSWORTH	Social Security Number (b) (6)	Rank/Rate SO2
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